Truths about Early Child Hood Section 1

Name(s):

Read the following statements. Decide if they are T or F by putting letter behind the sentence.

1. Early childhood covers the period from birth to nine years of age.
2. Social and economic changes will continue to create a need for more early childhood services.
3. Fewer than half of all preschool children are in early childhood programs.
4. Fewer than half of mothers with preschool children work outside of the home.
5. Corporate-sponsored child care is one of the fastest growing types of child care.
6. Companies have found that providing early childhood centers has a negative effect on morale and absenteeism.
7. Full-day kindergartens are increasing in number.
8. In the future, there will most likely be a greater allocation of public dollars for early childhood education.
9. The Bureau of Labor has listed early childhood professionals as one of the fastest growing occupations in the next decade.
10. There are more opportunities in early childhood now than ever before.
11. Nannies wok in their own homes to care for children.
12. An au pair is a person from a foreign country who provides child care.
13. Kindergarten teachers only work in public schools.
14. A center director recruits children, hires and supervises staff, and manages the budget.
15. The teacher in a early childhood program has broader responsibilities than the director.
16. Licensing specialists are employed by the state to ensure that state rules and regulations are followed.
17. Parent educators may design written material to help parents better understand their roles and nature of young children.
18. To be a teacher’s aide, a person needs an associate’s degree.
19. To obtain a CDA Credential, you must take courses in early childhood education.
20. Attending conferences and reading material are part of being a professional.